

The Owosso Times.

OWOSSO, FRIDAY, DEC. 16, 1881.

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LOCAL NEWS

See Osborn Bros' new ad. Orders for job printing solicited. Buy your underwear at Westlake's. Old papers for sale at this office—10 cts. a dozen.

A fine line of Christmas and New Year's cards at Loring's.

Business in the city appears to be very good, despite the bad roads.

There will be an Episcopal social this (Friday) evening at Mrs. G. W. Hurter's.

The secretary of the treasury recommends the suspension of the coinage of the legal tender dollar. That's right.

The State sportsman's association will hold its next annual meeting at East Saginaw commencing on the 17th of January.

Westlake "the tailor" has moved into new and elegant quarters on the north side of Main street just west of Washington.

Attention is asked to the programme of the Christmas exercises of the High School, to be held on Thursday, the 23d inst.

Have you seen Guile's holiday goods. See them and buy.

The arrangements for the changes to be made in our office on New Year's are nearly completed and will be announced next week.

Westlake makes the best fitting suits in town.

The Saginaw Herald of Wednesday morning says: "Spring must have come again. The boys were playing marbles yesterday."

The American says the walls of the new hotel in that city are up and that the cornice and roof will be on by the middle of next week.

We will pay CASH for Basswood Bolts delivered at our factory on Race Street, Owosso. L. E. GOULD & CO.

The Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee railway company is building large additions to its already extensive dockage at Grand Haven.

Loring is showing up the finest line of holiday goods in the city.

Miss Anna Mason contemplates a visit to her home at Petersburg, Monroe county, to be absent about four weeks, leaving Owosso Saturday.

Buy your neckties and collars of Westlake.

The Messrs. Pond, publishers of that sterling republican journal, the Quincy Herald, have just placed a new Campbell press in their office.

If you wish to make your wife a holiday present go to Loring's and get an elegant oil painting.

Advertised letters were at the Owosso post office, Dec. 10th for Mrs. C. J. Kemp, Jas Fox and Chandler Ford; and a drop letter for Wm. Parks.

Westlake has the best and cheapest goods in town.

We are requested to state that Rev. Mr. Patchin, a former pastor of the Congregational church in this city, will preach in that church next Sabbath.

A choice selection of extra fine silver thimbles at Guile's.

Alex. Purvis, of Burton, harvested from 123 acres of clover, second crop, 26 bushels of clover seed, which he sold in Owosso on Wednesday for \$120.00.

Any magazine or newspaper in the country will be sent at the publishers' lowest price, if subscribed for at this office, by any subscriber to THE TIMES.

The work on Stewart's new bank building is progressing finely. They will probably have the roof on within a week. It already presents a fine appearance.

We want a live correspondent in every township in the county, and will make it an object for a competent person to act for us in that capacity and as local agent.

The charge given by Judge Hooker, to the jury, on the trial of Mrs. Bernard is pronounced by competent judges to be one of the ablest ever given in a Michigan court.

It is stated on good authority that the Goodrich transportation company will re-establish the line of steamers between Grand Haven and Chicago early in the spring.

We understand the band boys at Corunna will give a hop on Friday eve. Dec. 23d. Tickets only \$1.00. Funds to be used for the payment of the band's indebtedness.

We understand that Horman's gigantic minstrels, all of Owosso, will give concerts at Opera Hall on the evenings of Dec. 27 and 28. Let them be greeted by a full house.

Judge Gould says the first national bank, of Owosso, will not build a new banking house on the corner of Washington and Exchange streets, but that the property is for sale.

An interesting meeting, quite largely attended, of the Michigan Sheep Breeders' Association is in session this week at Lansing; also, the annual meeting of the State Grange, Patrons of Husbandry.

One day this week Henry Hickey was arrested by Constable Reitan, for being drunk. After passing the night in the cooler, he was brought before Justice Taylor, and fined with the costs \$4.50.—Moral, keep sober.

We welcome to our table the Frankfort Express, J. A. Brewer editor. Eight weeks ago the office was destroyed by fire, but phoenix like the Express has risen from the ashes bright and new. May its shadow never be diminished.

The Vermontville Hawk pertinently inquires: "If the jury should be convinced that Deity and not Guiteau was responsible for the killing of Garfield, then will the court prosecute the responsible party?"

We learn from the Pontiac Gazette that Messrs. Allen & Sons the enterprising beekeepers, of Four Towns, Oakland Co., have bought a farm in this county and will move here in the spring and continue the honey business.

The 31st annual meeting of the Michigan Teachers' Association will be held at Lansing, Dec. 27, 28 and 29. The programme is an extended one, and every teacher in Shiawassee county who possibly can, should attend.

Everybody should be on their guard, and as far as possible be prepared to defend themselves and their property against burglars, a band of whom seem to be roaming over the State committing depredations first in one place and then in another.

The Press says, the sermon of Rev. Mr. Matrau at the Episcopal church next Sunday evening will be "Procrastination, or the Gospel according to Satan." We wish we could hear the sermon, as we know it will be both interesting and instructive.

We desire, again, to call the attention of our subscribers to the fact that on and after January 1st 1882, no paper will be sent from this office not paid for in advance, and that after that date all papers will be stopped when the time expires for which they are paid.

The burglars who blew open the safe in Mr. Holmes store, at Vernon, about two weeks since, plead guilty in the circuit court, now in session at Corunna, on Tuesday, and were each sentenced to be imprisoned in the State prison at Jackson for the period of seven years.

As we go to press, pork is worth from \$6.75 to \$7.00 a hundred; beef, from \$4 to \$5 by the side; turkeys, 7 to 9 cts per lb.; chickens, 4 to 6 cts.; wheat, \$1.24; oats, 42 cts.; corn in the ear 30 cts. per bushel; barley, \$1.75 per centum; and clover seed \$4.65 per bushel.

Mrs. C. W. Clapp is canvassing Owosso and vicinity for Ridpath's life of President Garfield. This is one of the best of the many biographies of the life and public services of the late President, and we take pleasure in commending it to the favorable attention of our readers.

Owosso girls are so homely they can't make a mash on potatoes.—Ovid Register. If the Editor of that journal should happen down here he might find they could "mash" something else, even if it was softer than a potatoe and resembled, in general appearance, a green pumpkin.

The American says that "John L. Martin, of Vernon, has recently purchased of J. H. Thompson, of Grand Blanc, a registered yearling merino ram." All importations of thoroughbred stock into the county are of interest and profit to every agriculturist, and we note them with great pleasure.

The rails of the Detroit, Mackinaw and Marquette railroad are all laid and the road ballasted except at the points where the rails have recently been laid. The road will soon be open for business, and will do much to advance the interest of people all along the route from Marquette to Detroit.

An interest in the Ovid Union has been sold to S. D. Tillotson, late of Onondaga, N. Y., and it will hereafter be published by Fitzgerald & Tillotson. Under the management of Mr. Fitzgerald the Union has been one of the liveliest local papers in the State, and bids fair to be improved under the new management.

The common council have ordered a sidewalk to be constructed on the north side of Goodhue street from the east line of lots owned by B. F. Smith, east to Saginaw street and north on the east side of Saginaw street to lot six block B of Goodhue's subdivision of lot-out No. 2—within ten days from Dec. 8th inst.

One of the most useful papers in the country, to practical farmers, is the Farmers Review, a 16 page weekly published at Chicago. It is the only paper in the country presenting regularly systematized crop reports from all the north-west. Up to Dec. 26th we will furnish it and THE TIMES from the date of subscription to Dec. 31st 1881, for \$3.25.

A Union of the cigar makers of this city has been organized with a large membership, and the following officers elected: Pres., Charles Hoyer; Vice Pres., A. Gierchke; Financial Sec., W. H. Mumby; Recording Sec., H. C. Nelson; Cor. Sec., A. W. Giles; Treas., H. A. Schilling; Sergeant-at-Arms, Wm. Morris; Trustees, Chas. Beebe, Louis Morris, Frank Krieschmier.

That old stand by, Arthur's Home Magazine is again a candidate for public favor. It has for many years been elected by as many thinkers as any Philadelphia magazine and ought to be this year. We print the prospectus in another column to which we direct attention. We will send it and THE TIMES for 1882 to any one remitting \$3.00. Specimen copies may be seen at this office.

The Chicago and Western Michigan railroad company have put their winter time card in operation; the train that has heretofore left Grand Rapids for Chicago at 9:45 a. m. will not leave until 10:45, and the 1 o'clock p. m. fast train is taken off. This is a popular route for people living west of this point, who go to and from Chicago, and its managers are doing all they can for the accommodation of their patrons.

A directors meeting of the North-Eastern Agricultural Society, will be held at Flint on the 20th inst. An invitation is extended to the people of Shiawassee to become members, the district to include this county, provided forty (40) persons will pledge themselves to the ex-hibition made by this society during the fall was pronounced a marked success. We have no doubt it would be for the interest of the farmers in this county to be entitled to exhibit their stock etc., at this fair, and that with little effort, and small individual cost, the requisite membership can be secured. Hon. Isaac Marston, of the supreme court, is president, and Hon. Sumner Howard, of Flint, secretary, of the society, their names cannot do less than command confidence in the organization.

Have your pants made at Westlake's. Attention is asked to the prospectus of the Michigan Farmer printed in this issue of THE TIMES. For more than twenty-five years it has been the leading agricultural journal of the State, and has done for the farmers a work the value of which cannot be estimated. It ought to have a wide circulation. Terms \$1.65 a year. With THE TIMES we will furnish it for \$1.50. Send in your orders.

The chancery cases of Lulu L. White, complainant, against Hugh B. Ross, defendant, to declare null the marriage between the parties, and the cross bill of Hugh B. Ross against Lulu L. White, praying for its judicial confirmation, it is expected will be heard to-day by Judge Turner. E. R. Hutchins for White; Jerome W. Turner, of this city, and Mr. Conley, of Detroit, for Ross.

We have received a copy of the Ripon (Wis.) Post, containing the articles of association of "The Northwest Colony Association." This association intend to settle somewhere in the West early next spring and form a temperance colony. We notice that our old friend Mr. W. H. Holmes, late of the Hastings Journal, is corresponding Sec'y. Any one wishing to become a member of the colony can obtain a copy of the articles by writing to Mr. H.

The Board of Health publish the following notice which should have the careful attention of every citizen of Owosso, and the surrounding country, viz:—

The City authorities having made provision for the Health Officer, Dr. J. Perkins, to procure virus, the Board of Health would call the attention of every citizen to the importance of being vaccinated without delay. This is ordered by the State Board of Health, as well as by the local Board, and is strictly necessary for the health and prosperity of our city.

W. WHITE, Sec.

A meeting under the auspices of the State Temperance Alliance was held at the Congregational church on Monday evening, Dec. 5. B. Bontecou, of Jackson, delivered an interesting address, after which a city alliance was organized. H. W. Parker was chosen President; Mrs. Dr. Parkhill, Sec'y; E. L. Brewer, Treas. Though the attendance was not large, yet the meeting was one of much interest, and the local organization well officered. Of its success, there can be little doubt, and that if successful, much good will be done, is beyond question.

CHRISTMAS EXERCISES OF THE OWOSSO HIGH SCHOOL, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 23d, 1881. 2 O'clock, P. M.

PROGRAMME—PART FIRST.

Opening March, "The Waves of the Ocean," Misses Beckwith and White.

PRAYER.

Chorus, "Mountain Maid's Invitation," All Work and No Play make Jane a Dull Girl, Estelle Corinna Conant.

The Story of the Merchant of Venice. Mary Gertrude White.

A Boy's Opinion of Two Popular Periodicals, Gilbert Lyon Taylor.

MUSIC.

Vocal Quartette, "Men of Harlech," Barnaby, Mrs. Seelye, Miss Matlock, Messrs. Seelye and Magaw.

Portius Cato's Visit to America in 1881—A Dream. Edith Lou Bartholomew.

The Story of Evangelina, Nellie Parker.

The First Thanksgiving Day and How it was Kept, Lydia Dietrich.

MUSIC.

Instrumental Solo, "Monastery Bells," Abbie Rosenthal Conant.

PART SECOND.

The Daughters of the Horse-leech cry "Give! Give!" Byron Martin Dawes.

Something about a Brave People—A True Story for Children, Mima Hopkins.

Too Much Science in the Jones Family, Ida Bell Durkee.

MUSIC.

Vocal Quartette, "Lay us Gently down to Sleep," Mrs. Seelye, Miss Matlock, Messrs. Seelye and Magaw.

A Modern Hercules and the Serpents, Lizzie Anna Goodhue.

Recitation, "Robert's Boy," Elizabeth Stuart.

Marriet Louise Rowell. Phelps.

MUSIC.

Chorus, "Die Wacht am Rhein," Wilhelm.

BENEDICTION.

Nervous pains and weakness, malarial diseases, fever and ague, positively cured by using Brown's Iron Bitters.

Greetings From Our Brethren of the State Press.

The Owosso Times is greatly improved under its new management. Owosso will now have what it never has had before, a strong, competent and reliable newspaper business.—Maple Rapids Dispatch.

Under its new management, that of Geo. M. Dewey, the Owosso Times has been much improved.—Gratiot Journal.

The Owosso Times under the new management, speaks "right out in meeting." Well, brother Dewey has been at the business long enough, and ought to be in possession of the "know how."—Clifton and Shiawassee Union.

The Owosso Times begins to show up the work of Geo. M. Dewey, who has assumed the control. Of course we will X with you.—Hastings Home Journal.

The Owosso people can now depend upon having a first-class newspaper of Republican politics, as Hon. G. M. Dewey of Hastings, an experienced journalist, has bought the TIMES of that city.—Allegan Tribune.

Another Ohio Man.

And now it turns out that Rinehart, the inventor of Rinehart's Liver Pills that everybody is using because that never sickens or gripes, and require only one for a dose, is an Ohio man.

If there was a specific for any one complaint, then Carter's Little Liver Pills are a specific for sick headache, and every woman should know this. Only pill a dose.

MARRIED.

MILLER—ARNOLD—In Lansingburg on the 27th inst., by Rev. F. H. Hurst, Albert G. Miller of Victor, and Alice J. Arnold of Lansingburg.

RANGHART—VANWAGNER—At the residence of the bride, Bennington, Nov. 24th by Rev. C. W. Austin, E. P. Ranghart, and Josephine VanWagner.

CROSTNER—HOLLIDAY—At Bennington Nov. 30th, by Rev. C. W. Austin, Reuben D. Crostner, and Mrs. Nancy Holliday, both of Bennington.

NEWELL—MITCHELL—At the residence of the bride's father Dec. 10th, by Rev. C. W. Austin, Seth B. Newell, and Delia O. Mitchell, both of Pittsburg.

A Favorite Paper. For judicious editing, select and popular contributors, and sprightly and entertaining reading, the Youth's Companion, of Boston, has no superior among the youth's publications. It has more than two hundred thousand subscribers, and unquestionably merits its success.

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Upon the recommendation of a friend, I tried Brown's Iron Bitters as a tonic and restorative for my daughter, whom I was thoroughly convinced was fast wasting away in Consumption. Having lost three daughters by the terrible disease, under the care of eminent physicians, I was loath to believe that anything could arrest the progress of the disease; but to my surprise, before my daughter had taken one bottle of Brown's Iron Bitters, she began to mend, and is now quite restored to her former health. A fifth daughter began to show signs of consumption, and when the physician was consulted, he quickly said, "Tonics were required!" And when informed that the elder sister was taking Brown's Iron Bitters, responded, "That is a good tonic, take it."

ADORAM PHELPS, OF ASHLEY & PHELPS.

We are glad to assure our readers, that Hill's Compound Extract of Buchu and Cubeb, is meeting with the success its merits justly deserve.

Johnston's Extract of Sarsaparilla.—This preparation advertised in another column, recommended as it has been by the Detroit press and other papers, by the Medical Faculty of Detroit, is from the often well grounded prejudices against nostrums. We therefore, with pleasure, announce our belief in its efficacy for the cure of those diseases for which it purports to be intended.

THE SUN, NEW YORK, 1882.

The Sun for 1882 will make its fifteenth annual revolution under the present management, shining, as always, for all, big and little, mean and gracious, contented and unhappy, Republican and Democratic, depraved and virtuous, intelligent and obtuse. The Sun's light is for mankind and womanhood of every sort; but its genial warmth is for the good while it pours hot discomfort on the blustering backs of the persistently wicked.

The Sun of 1882 was a newspaper of a new kind. It discarded many of the forms, and a multitude of the superfluous words and phrases of ancient journalism. It undertook to report in a fresh, succinct, unpretentious way all the news of the world, omitting no event of human interest, and commenting upon affairs with the fearlessness of absolute independence.

The success of this experiment was the success of the Sun. It effected a permanent change in the style of American newspapers. Every important journal established in this country in the dozen years past has been modelled after the Sun. Every important journal already existing has been modified and bettered by the force of the Sun's example.

The Sun of 1882 will be the same outspoken, truth telling, and interesting newspaper.

By a liberal use of the means which an abundant prosperity affords, we shall make it better than ever before.

We shall print all the news, putting it into readable shape, and measuring its

importance, not by the traditional yardstick, but by its real interest to the people. Distance from Printing House Square is not the first consideration with the Sun. Whenever anything happens worth reporting we get the particulars, whether it happens in Brooklyn or in Bokhara.

In politics we have decided opinions; and are accustomed to express them in language that can be understood. We say what we think about men and events. That habit is the only secret of the Sun's political course.

The Weekly Sun gathers into eight pages the best matter of the seven daily issues. An Agricultural Department of unequalled merit, full market reports, and a liberal proportion of literary, scientific, and domestic intelligence complete the Weekly Sun, and make it the best newspaper for the farmer's household that was ever printed.

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Address I. W. ENGLAND, publisher of the Sun, New York City. w-6

Physicians Endorse Them.

Muskegon, Mich., July 13, 1877.

Rhinheart Medicine Co.—Gentlemen:

Will you send me a gross of your Liver Pills? I would like them at once as my supply is exhausted, and some of our physicians to whom I recommend them for their practice. One of them speaking of them, the other day, said, "They are so mild, yet so efficient." I am entirely out of them, and would like them as soon as possible.

Yours, &c. A. G. JEPSON.

The Truth, the Whole Truth, and Nothing but the Truth.—If you are suffering from poor health or languishing on a bed of sickness, take cheer, for Hamilton's German Bitters will cure you. If you feel weak and dispirited, without clearly knowing why, GERMAN BITTERS will revive you. If you feel your system needs cleansing, toning or strengthening, German Bitters is what you need. If you are old, and your pulse is feeble, your nerves unsteady and your faculties waning, Hamilton's German Bitters will give you new life and vigor. Price 50 cts. per bottle. Sold by J. H. DeHart & Co., Vernon, Mich.

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